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WOODSTOCK NURSERIES,

FRANKLIN SHARP, Proprietor.

Descriptive Catalogue.

Having purchased the Woodstock Nurseries from my father, F. P. Sharp, I wish to thank the former friends and customers who have placed confidence in the stock, and for the generous patronage bestowed in the past, and trust that it will still continue to receive your custom; and I assure you that it will be my constant aim to improve on the well tried methods of growing, shipping and delivering stock, so you may receive your trees in a good thrifty condition.

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APPLES.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Large size, roundish, streaked with red and yellow; flesh whitish, juicy and sprightly sub-acid; ripening early in the fall; tree a vigorous grower, having fine, large foliage, bearing abundantly and when very young; succeeds in nearly all sections of the country, specially adapted to the extreme north, bearing continuously from year to year.

WEALTHY.—Medium size, whitish yellow shaded red and rich deep crimson; flesh white stained with red, tender, juicy and sub acid; extremely hardy; a good grower and abundant bearer. Season, from November to January.

GIDEON.—It was raised from seed of a seedling Crab by the veteran fruit grower, Peter M. Gideon, of Excelsior, Minn., and pronounced by him "as hardy as a native oak." The fruit is of a rich, golden yellow, with a very clear skin, handsome rosy blush, juicy and fine with an excellent sub acid flavor; ranks well as an eating apple, and its handsome, showy appearance makes it a most tempting fruit. While its crab origin seems to be thoroughly developed in the hardy, rugged character of the tree, there is no trace of this in the fruit, which in every respect is a fine *eating apple.* October to December.

ALEXANDER.—Large size, deep red and crimson; flesh yellowish white, crisp, tender, with pleasant flavor. This is a very handsome Russian apple, and like all others coming from that country valuable on account of its hardiness, being suited to the extreme north. Season, from October to January.

PEACH (Irish Peach).—Large size, round or a little flattened; skin yellowish green with small dots in the shade and streaked with beautiful brownish red in the sun; flesh tender, juicy and well flavored. The great beauty and good quality of the fruit and the hardiness of the tree render it desirable in high latitudes. Ripens through autumn.

TETOFSKY.—Medium size, nearly round; flesh white, very juicy and acid, with a pleasant aromatic flavor; a handsome Russian apple, being fully as hardy as the New Brunswick, and producing regularly abundant crops of beautiful fruit. Succeeds over a large section of country, and is especially desirable in high latitudes, where many other fine varieties fail by reason of extreme cold.

SCOTT'S WINTER.—A valuable variety, which originated in Vermont, and is one of our hardiest and most profitable kinds. Tree a thrifty grower and an early and profuse bearer. Fruit medium size, roundish, surface deep red and light red in blotches and streaks; flesh yellowish white, slightly reddened near the skin; rather acid and good in quality. Keeps till June.

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FAMEUSE.—Medium size, deep crimson, roundish, somewhat flattened; flesh ry white, tender, crisp and juicy, with a slight perfume. Tree a good grower, rdy and a regular bearer of handsome fruit. October to December.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT.—A new Russian variety imported in 1870 by epartment of Agriculture at Washington. Tree hardy and a strong grower and unusually early bearer. Fruit pale yellow; good size and good quality; skin ear white at first, turning to a pale yellow when ripe. Parties who have fruited extensively say that it ripens earlier than any other variety, being ten days or two eeks ahead of the Red Astracan.

ST. LAWRENCE.—Large size, round or oblate, yellowish striped and splashed th crimson; flesh white, crisp, juicy, tender and of good quality.

HAAS.—Large size, somewhat roundish, conical, light in color, splashed and ottled with light red, with many dots and dark centers; flesh white but often a tle stained next the skin; an apple of the best quality. In season from November March.

RED ASTRACAN.—Large and handsome, crimson with a white bloom; flesh hite, crisp, with a nice spicy flavor. Tree hardy, and a good grower.

FISHER PIPPIN.—A new variety originated here in Woodstock and specially ited to our rigorous climate, tree being hardy and productive. Fruit medium size, d tinge on sunny side, green in the fall and yellowish in the winter; flesh tender, cy crisp, with a slightly sub acid flavor, and when not fully ripe quite acid. Sea- n December to March.

MAGOG RED STREAK.—A variety of extreme hardiness; tree very thrifty d vigorous, and of great productiveness; is a very long keeper. Fruit medium, undish, skin light yellow, shaded and faintly striped and splashed with light red er half the fruit. Flesh yellowish, moderately juicy, mild sub acid. December to arch.

TOLMAN SWEET.—A vigorous and productive tree; flesh firm, rich and eet. In season from November till April.

KENNEBEC SWEET.—Tree rather more hardy than Tolman Sweet; vig- ous and productive; a first-class sweet apple. Season, September.

BLUE PEARMAIN.—Very large, roundish, inclining to oblong; dark purplish d in broken stripes on light ground; flesh yellowish; mild sub acid. Season Jan- ry to March.

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PLUMS.

MOOER'S ARCTIC.—This very remarkable and wonderful plum origi
with Mr. A. F. Mooer, of Ashland, Aroostook Co., Me., seventy miles northwe
Woodstock, where unprotected and exposed to intense cold it has for many
borne enormous crops. It is the most prolific of all plums, and in earliness of
ing exceeds all others. Fruit grows in large clusters; large, dark purple, thin
pit small, flavor very fine both for preserving and for dessert. Season, last of
ust to middle of September.

IMPERIAL GAGE.—One of the most excellent and productive of all p
Rather large; green, with yellow when ripe; flesh juicy, rich and delicious; a st
vigorous grower. August to middle of September.

McLAUGHLAN.—Large, greenish yellow, sugary and luscious, with a
flavor. A first rate variety; very hardy, vigorous and productive September

WHITE MAGNUM BONUM.—Very large and beautiful, a little coarse
excellent for cooking; vigorous and productive. September.

COLUMBIA.—Fruit very large and showy, usually borne in clusters;
dark purple with a rich bloom; of good quality, fine flesh and rich flavor. O
our largest and most handsome plums, and a fine fruit for preserving. Septe
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HYSLOP.—Fruit large, produced in clusters ovate, dark rich red cove
a thick blue bloom; flesh inclining to yellow; sub-acid; good for cider and
purposes. Very popular on account of its large size, beauty and hardiness

TRANSCENDENT.—Medium to large size, roundish oblong; golde
with a rich crimson red cheek covered with a delicate white bloom; at rip
red nearly covers the whole surface. Flesh yellow, crisp and, when fu
pleasant and agreeable. In season early in autumn.

SPECIAL LIST.

BLOOM.—This apple, produced by hybridizing and tested by us in ou
makes a valuable addition to our list of hardy apples, supplying a long
coming in between our fall and winter varieties. Fruit medium size and
ored, generally a very dark red on sunny side, lighter red in the shade. F
crisp and juicy; sub acid.

MUNRO SWEET, No. 1.—This apple, like the Bloom, was propa
hybridizing and tested here. A hardy tree of thrifty growth, bearing ab
Medium size, shaded with rich deep red; flesh white, juicy and a fine swee
September to October.

MUNRO SWEET, No. 2.—One of our new hybrids, thrifty and ha
medium size, deep red and light red in blotches and streaks; flesh white,
sweet, but rather dry. Season, November to January. A good keeper.

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